(1) Thread-wearing Hindus, (2) Ambalavasis, (3) Nairs (4) Christians, (5) Ezhuvas, (6) Muslims, (7) Jews and (8) Other castes?

Rao Sahib I. N. Menon.—(a) Vide list appended *(Appendix IV.)*

(b) Vide list appended *(Appendix V.)*

Education Survey, S. K. Committee and Vernacular Education Committee Reports.

228. Mr. P. Raman Menon.—Will the Government be pleased to state what amount they had to spend for:—

(a) Education Survey Report, (b) the S. K. Committee Report and (c) The Vernacular Education Committee Report?

Rao Sahib I. N. Menon.—(a) The Education Survey Report—Rs. 634—3—0.

(b) The S. K. Committee Report—Rs. 2,595—13—0.

(c) The Vernacular Education Committee Report—Rs. 1,258—10—9.

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan.—May I know, Sir, whether any action has been taken upon the report of the Vernacular Education Committee?

Rao Sahib I. N. Menon.—Actual orders have not been issued. But I can assure the Hon'ble Member that certain aspects which were left out are now being investigated and orders will issue soon.

Mr. C. R. Iyyunni.—What about the other reports? Has any action been taken on them?

Rao Sahib I. N. Menon.—The Diwan-President in his opening speech said that it is not possible to issue one comprehensive order. In the form of suitable amendments to the Code fragmentary orders are issuing.

Mr. C. R. Iyyunni.—May I know whether up to now any order has been issued?

Rao Sahib I. N. Menon.—Some orders have been issued in the form of amendments to the codes. Orders are being issued with regard to the others.

Industrial School at Ashtamichira.

229. Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar.—Will the Government be pleased to state,—

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